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In Re Application of:	D. Yang et al
Application No.:	09/965,765
Filed:	September 28, 2001
For:	BALLOON CATHETER WITH STRIPED FLEXIBLE TIP
Examiner:	
Group Art Unit:	3763

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REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Upon reviewing the Official Filing Receipt for the above-identified application, an error was noted. A red-lined copy of the Filing Receipt is enclosed herewith showing the corrections.

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Applicant's attorneys request, therefore, that the correct filing date for this application be indicated as September 28, 2001.

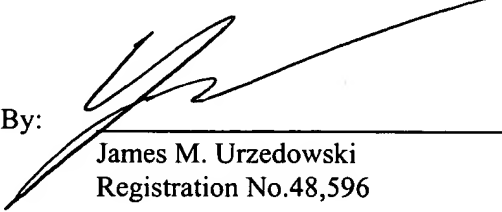
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Respectfully submitted,

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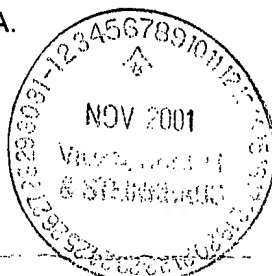
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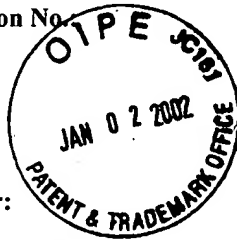
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. In regard to the above-identified application, we are submitting the attached:
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Julie Emerson